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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Futoshi Hachimura  
Serial No. : 09/990,001  
For : COMMUNICATION SYSTEM, ITS CONTROL METHOD,  
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

In response to the Office Action mailed April 4, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this Amendment.

Remarks begin on page 13 of this Amendment.

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